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Letter dated 20 March 1998 from the President of the General Assembly addressed to the Chairman of the Second Committee

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of 13 March 1998 (A/52/832) and wish to congratulate you and the members of the Second Committee on the success of your consultations on the item entitled "Renewal of the dialogue on strengthening international economic cooperation for development through partnership".

In that connection, it is my intention to bring your letter to the attention of the General Assembly at a forthcoming date, in order that it may take note of it and of the wishes of the Member States referred to therein.

I also wish to ask you to continue consultations with reference to the specific focus and participants for the ministerial round tables and informal panels, the former to be held as part of the session and the latter in conjunction with the high-level dialogue. In that regard, I have asked the Secretariat to prepare a preliminary proposal, which might help you in your consultations with Governments.

In order to enable the General Assembly to consider this matter, it will be necessary to reopen consideration of agenda item 97 (a).

I am intending to circulate the present response to you as an official document of the General Assembly.

(Signed) Hennadiy UDOVENKO

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